### THE DEPARTMENT WORKERS

Interesting Gossip Gleaned Among Employes of Government Bureaus.

ODD PRANK OF "WORST BOY IN GEORGETOWN

An Interior Department Clerk's Former Distinction--The Best Story-Teller in the Census Office--Scope of the Civil Service Clearly Explained.

"Yes," said a preminent official of the mate knowledge of the postal laws and eneral Land Office of the Interior Deartment this morning, "when I was masters all over the country, General Land Office of the Interior Department this morning, "when I was bout eighteen years old I was considered the worst boy in Georgetown. And that, the Land Office is Major Lawrence, a civil by the way, was quite a distinction, for war veteran. He has been connected with a harder or more disreputable aggrega-

tleman, "was played in a back room of my father's store. It was after the civil war, and the town was full of old soltinued to make his home in Georgetown. He boasted that he didn't have a single relative in the world and no place in parabout the store so much that my father finally took him into his employ.

"But Motter's failing was his exuberant love for liquor, and he contrived to keep himself full almost to the collar button nearly all the time. His antics while in this continual state of bliss won him quite an extensive local reputation.

"One day," continued the speaker, "I was passing through the back room of the store with the other members of my crowd. A hard lot they were then, bu they all turned out well and those who are still living are some of the bestknown and Hked business men in Georgetown today. Well we found old Motter stretched out on a pile of lumber, sleeping off the effects of his latest spree It was not an unfamiliar sight in the least, for that was his usual resting place, but we were in high spirits and felt like playing some prank on the old man.

"Finally a thought struck me, and, telling the boys to wait, I ran across the ed to the Supreme bench and there is no street to a carriage factory. I borrowed several small cans of bright paint that A standing committee they used for painting wagons and car- Board of Trade will appear on Tuesday with reference to the lapsed contracts nearly 100 miles, on skates, around the

"Well, that evening Motter woke up, and the first thing he did was to go down the street to a saloon to get a drink. All we boys were standing on the other side of the street watching the old fellow. I don't know what happened in the salour hut presently Motter came running. loon, but presently Motter came running out with a crowd of loafers at his heels. soldier went people stared at him, and then burst out laughing. Finally Motter became enraged and went back to the store. He rushed up to be a large to the partition of the Philippines, with a view to determining whether to make the whole and the correspondence on hie at the War Department pertaining to General Miles' plan for the pacification of the Philippines, with a view to determining whether to make the whole and the correspondence on hie at the war and the correspondence of the war and the war and the correspondence of the war and the store. He rushed up to a looking glass and began to gaze at himself. When he caught a climate of his form tracked

and dobbed with those flaring colors, well—we adjourned to a safer locality.
"The old fellow never did get over that prank," concluded the gentleman who claimed the distinction of having been the law in Georgeiown." "Of course." claimed the distinction of having been the "worst boy in Georgetown." "Of course we knew nothing of the matter, but I think Motter always fully believed we had painted his face. Anyway, he swore he would kill the person who did it if he as a whole has heretofore known yery should be the streets in a sa whole has heretofore known yery should be the streets in a short illness of plurisy will take place. had painted his face. Anyway, he swore he would kill the person who did it if he ever found out his name."

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ernment employ.

"Is that so?

"Well. I always knew Frank was a great yarn-spinner, but to tell you the truth I have never had the patience to sit through one of Frank's narratives. I remember one of the classified positions by selections evening that I was at his house for din- from among those passing with the highparn before we went into the dining room, and well—at 11:30 o'clock I left for home. Frank had not arrived at the part where you laugh, up to that time. But it is said that all of Frank's stories are not of this character."

among the States and the official authority to coerce the political action of any person or body.

The act also provides for investigations touching the enforcement of the rules promulgated, and forbids, under penalty or mulgated, and forbids, under penalty or

the Fourth Assistant Postmaster General, fine or imprisonment, or both, the solici Mr. Bristow, is a close student of human nature and there are few Representations to be nature, and there are few Representatives in Congress or other men prominent in public life whom he does not know. His tributions by any such person in a Gov In Congress or other men prominent in public life whom he does not know. His duties bring him in close contact with Representatives among whom he is a favorite by reason of his accommodating ways and affable manner. Mr. Conrard is peculiarly well fitted to fill the important position he holds on account of his inti-

### FUSION WINS IN NEBRASKA.

Opposition on Part of Some Populists Rival Suitors Finally Have Narrow Es-Finally Overcome.

LINCOLN, Neb., March 20.-Despite ulists, fusion was again effected in Ne-braska between the People's Party and the Democrats. An effort was made on the part of the Bourbons to Induce the Populists to give up their organization and formally affiliate with them, but this met with so much opposition on the part of the latter it was not insisted on.

No date was safe for the Scholars they fought like bulldogs. No date was set for the State conven-tion, that being left to the executive com-mittee of both organizations, the Repub-

mittee of both organizations, the Republicans not having fixed a day.

Mr. Bryan was present at both meetings, leaving his work of moving to his farm to mingle with the farm is. His in-fluence was thrown in favor of fusion. Several Populists expressed a desire to go it alone, but were formally sat upon. The matter of division of the offices was referred back to the two convention

ex-Governor Altgeld were passed by the Johnny Gorman during the coronation

my privilege to see."

The gentleman was swapping reminiscences of boyhood days with several of the clerks of the effice. All the members of the group were men who had been born and raised in this city, and had passed their young days ander pretty much the same circumstances. that branch of the Government service in

Those who may happen to call up on "One of the worst pranks I ever per-er the District engine houses between the hours of 7 in the morning and 4 in the afternoon will hear the cheery voice of John E. Archer responding to their "hello." Mr. Archer is now the dean of There was one old fellow by the the telephone operators at the headqua name of Motter, who was swept in with the wave of returning soldiers and con-the sits in a cosy corner with the sounder come over his switchboard. Though there is a good deal to tire and worry an operticular to call home. The old fellow hung ator who is obliged to adjust the calls on a switchboard all day, still Mr. Archer never allows his temper to be ruffled in the least, or to be turned from the even tenor of a boundless good nature. Mr. Archer is popular with his fellow-operators, and is one of the moving spirits in a well-known social group, whose balls and parties are regarded as among the most enjoyable of the town.

Senator Frye has received a protest from the W. C. T. U. of Palmyra, Me., against the selection of John W. Griggs, formerly Attorney General, to be an associate justice of the United States Supreme Court. The protest is based on the fact that as Attorney General Mr. Griggs rendered an opinion against the anti-canteen law and as Governor of New Jersey is requested to use all his influence to pre

vent the confirmation of Mr. Griggs.
Senator Frye's task is comparatively easy, as Mr. Griggs has not been appoint-

A standing committee of the National riages. It was oil paint, but then I didn't next before the Committee of the House care. One of the fellows in the crowd of Representatives, on Interstate and Forwho could paint a bit bent over Motter eign Commerce, to urge the early pasand proceeded to convert the old soldier's sage of the bill creating a new depart nce into the painted face of a ment, to be known as the Department of full-fledged Indian. I never shall forget Commerce and Industries. The committee how old man Motter looked lying there is composed as follows: Edward R. Wood, with those bright colors on his face. Philadelphia; Aldon Speare, Boston; D. There actually wasn't a square inch of his Hutzler, Baltimore; C. Waldo Smith, New countenance that was not coated with York; William Waterall, Philadelphia; J. A. Lansing, Scranton; Blanchard Randall,

It is understood the President has called shouting at him. Everywhere the old for all the correspondence on file at the

"Who's the best story teller in the Census Bureau?" asked one of Director Merriam's clerks today.

"Why," came a prompt reply, "Frank Little. He has the reputation of telling a secretary, and other employees and a secretary, and other employees and a secretary, and other employees and other employees. The purpose of the civil service act, as southwest, Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Gray, who was in his sixty-fifth year at the time of death, was born and reared in the District, and his untimely end will be mourned by a large circle of the Metromore funny yarns than anyone in the Gov- a secretary, and other employes, and politan Methodist Episcopal Church. est grades, an apportionment of appointments in the departments at Washington among the States and Territories, and the prohibition of the use of the official au-

### A FIST FIGHT FOR LOVE

cape From Drowning.

HARTFORD CITY, Ind., March 20.- John some opposition on the part of the Pop- Kane, a bartender, and Edwin O'Brien,

Finally they clinched and in falling rolled down a steep embankment into a big ditch, half filled with water. O'Brien finally gained an advantage by

holding Kane's head under water. Both were almost drowned when they were pulled out of the water, and as soon as they revived they were arrested.

### Ryan Will Fight Gorman.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 20 .- Tor Ryan yesterday accepted the offer of the i fistic carnival for a purse of \$5,000.

### THE HUNTINGTON ESTATE.

Magnate Said to Have Loaned Much Money to Friends.

NEW YORK, March 20.-The "Tribune "The Collis P. Huntington estate, now being inventoried by the State' ransfer tax appraisers, acting with the xecutors, Charles M. Tweed and Issac E. lates, will amount to about \$28,000,000 or \$29,000,000. The transfer tax will ap

"This is the unofficial estimate made y the State Comptroller's office. The tate officials, as well as the executors celine to give any official information bout the schedule of property left by Mr. (untington)

funtington.

"The report of the State appraisers will
not be filed for several months. It is
understood that the delay is due in larg
art to the overhauling of claims an
notes against friends of Mr. Huntington notes against friends of Mr. Huntington. These amount to an astonishingly large sum, it is said, and are in such shape that it is difficult for the executors to tell how much they are really worth. The major items in the schedule of assets have been known for a long time.

"According to the Tribune's' informant Mr. Huntington loaned personal friends a great deal of money, most of which is not collectible. "The scheduling of the estate," said this authority, 'shows that Mr. Huntington's heart prompty responded

### CHICAGO ENTERTAINING AN ARMY OF PYTHIANS

Forty Thousand Knights Are Gathered There.

Occasion Is First Grand Jabilee of All the Lodges in Supreme Domain of Canada and the United States.

CHICAGO, III., March 20.-Knights of Pythias from all parts of the United ago he was put in fail for shooting states and Canada gathered in Chicago companion with a rifle. today, to celebrate the first grand jubiled of all lodges in their supreme domain It is estimated that at least 40,000 Knights have assembled to make the at tendant ceremonies memorable

The official hosts of this glittering army are the Grand Lodge officers of Illinois During the afternoon the rank of knigh will be conferred on United States Senator Albert J. Beveridge by the Indianapol's lodge team of Indianapolis, and o Robert M. LaFollette, of Wisconsin by Garfield Lodge team of the same

### THE JACOBY CONTRACTS. Notice Should Have Been Sent Adminis-

trator, Not Widow. The City Solicitor, Mr. A. B. Duvall, has erwarded to the District Commis an opinion upon the method of procedure

of the late John Jacoby. Mr. Duvall states that according to the which still clings along the shore. papers presented, these contracts have not yet expired, and he notes that the Commissioners have sent notices by mail to when the ice went out, and the tug Gag the bondsmen and to the attorney of Mrs. non will go to their rescue today. Jacoby to complete the work called for in the several contracts, which is the construction of a portion of the east sid-

intercepting sewer, the extension of the boundary sewer, and a section near the corner of Third and Cincinnati Streets.

The Solicitor calls attention to the fact that on February 27, letters of administration on the estate of the late John tration on the estate of the late John Jacoby were issued by the Supreme Court of the District, holding Probate Court to Mr. William C. Prentisz. Mr. Duvall therefore suggests that the administrator should be notified to complete the said contracts according to the terms specified, he being the legal representative of the deceased conractor.

Mr. Duvall says that the notice to the attorney of Mrs. Jacoby was not emissed.

attorney of Mrs. Jacoby was not equiva-lent to a notice to the administrator of

### FUNERAL OF H. K. GRAY.

Services to Be Held at Residence of Deceased Saturday.

makes it the duty of the Commission to aid the President, as he may request, in preparing suitable rules for carrying the act into effect, such rules to provide, among other things for competitive exgreatest efficiency for over twenty-five years. His pallbearers will be selected from his former business associates and

### THE OVERHEAD WIRES BILL.

Commissioners Urge Its Favorable Consideration by Congress.

The Commissioners have sent to the House Committee on the District of Columbia a favorable report on House bill verbead telegraph and telephone wires in the city of Washington, and for the construction of conduits in the District

Several amendments are offered to the bill to enlarge to some extent the authority of the Commissioners over the extensions of conduits and overhead wire constructions before their removal under

The Commissioners ask the committee to report favorably to Congress the bill as modified and to labor for its passage. The municipal authorities stipulate tha if Congress does not see fit to adopt the area recommended, it will at least grant the extension of the Commissioners authority to the fire limits as suggested by the accompanying report of the Ele

### A HARVEST OF COAL.

trical Engineer.

Pennsylvania Farmers Gather a Crop Left by Recent Flood.

GIRARDVILLE, Pa., March 20.-Mau armers whose lands are along the banks of the Mahanoy Creek, as a result of the recent flood, are now gathering harvests

Hundreds of tons of small coal were ashed into the creek and carried down the stream to farm lands, which, whe the waters receded, were left with a coat of coal and culm several inches in thick-ness. Many families have gathered up from twenty to forty tons of coal.

### .Cecil Rhodes Improves.

CAPE TOWN, March 20 .- Cecil Rhode ssed a better night than for some time. He got more sleep than usual and his condition this morning was improved.

# MAY BE A LYNCHING

Mutterings Rife Against a

### HAD TERRORIZED THE TOWN

Police Capture Him, and He Confesses to Five Assaults-Extra Detail of Police Guarding the Jail-One Victim's Father Seeks Vengeance.

QUINCY, IU., March 20.-The police ave captured Sayles, a mulatto boy, who has confessed to committing five criminal

Although the arrest was kept quiet for fear of a mob, it has become known in the city, and there are mutterings father of one of the victims said last ight that he would kill the fellow on ight, and armed himself for that pur-When told that Sayles was in the ity prison, he immediately started for there with the evident intention of carry-

He was disarmed by the police, but ows he will have satisfaction. An extra detail of police is guarding the city prison, which is in the base ment of the city hall, and every precau tion to prevent a lynching is being taken. The prisener will be removed to the

has a police record. He has served one term in the Pontiae Reformatory for stabbing a white boy, and a few months

Manage to Get From Cham-

Report That Fifteen Comrades Were Left There, and Tug Has Gone to Rescue Them.

on Chamber's Island arrived home yessouthern point of the bay, on the ice

They say there are still fifteen more men on the island, who took refuge there

### **BODY TAKEN TO FORMER HOME**

Funeral of Insane Woman Suicide Not

Hughes, of 721 Sixth Street For some time past Mrs. Murphy had suffered with a homicidal and sulcidal mania, and had since her incarceration in St. Elizabeth's a year ago made various

from his late residence, 209 Twelfth Street southwest, Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Gray, who was in his sixty-fifth year at the time of death, was born and

Mrs. Murphy was a sister of Policeman After the death of the woman the asy um authoritles forwarded a report of the natter to the Anacostia police station, which in turn notified Coroner Nevitt. After hearing the details of the case the oroner issued a certificate of death du en completed for the funeral.

### METROPOLITAN'S PLANS.

Stockholders Will Meet Today to Pass

11,993, which provides for the removal of tors, which involves the leasing of the ture, or refunding in advance of maturity such bonds as can be acquired either by purchase or exchange.

In general these are the propositions which the stockholders are asked to ap-

As far as the formation of the Metro

politan Securities Company is concerned that will of course depend on the approval of the other two propositions, which are

### WINDFALL FOR DOCKSTADER.

Will of an Aunt. CHICAGO, March 20.-Lew Dockstader the minstrel, is richer through the will

of his aunt, Harriet E. Clapp. The woman left an estate of \$140,000 in personal property and \$20,006 in real estate, which

### Burglars Loot a Postoffice.

It purifies and enriches the blood, cures pimples, eczema, and all eruptions, tired, languid feelings, loss of appetite, and general debility.

and keeps the promise.

## AMERICAN OARSMEN BIDDEN TO IRELAND

a Thousand-Dollar Cup.

AN OUT-AND-OUT COMPETITION

To Hold International Eight-Oared Race

race at Cork in connection with the ex-

hibition which will be held in that city

e given the project in the United States

The circular states that the object of

his competition is to encourage amateur

owing in general, and more particularly

o foster and promote international row-

ng, by giving an opportunity to clubs of

ground. With this object in view, Lord O'Brien, in conjunction with others inter-

To Row on River Lee.

The race for the cup will take place on

July 21, 22, and 23, on the River Lee, near

Cork. Lord O'Brien has made it a con

dition that the race must be of an inter

cup will not be given unless at least one

erew other than an Irish crew shall ente

others July 6, and the committee re

Gentleman Athlete Defined.

The effort of the Britishers to make

he event a "classic" one and to limit

the contestants entirely to the English

efinition of the "gentleman athlete" is

"No person shall be considered an ama-

eur oarsman, sculler, or coxswain-(1)

Who has ever taken part in any race for

a stake, money, or entrance fee. (2) Who has ever knowingly competed with or

against a professional for any prize. (3)

Who has ever taught, pursued, or assisted

in the practice of athletic exercises of any

and for profit. (4) Who has ever been em

ployed in or about boats, or in manual

labor for money or wages. (5) Who is or

has been by trade or employment for

engaged in any menial duty. (6) Who

HEADLESS BODY FOUND.

Corpse of Woman Tossed Up on Lake

Ontario Shore.

SODUS POINT, N. Y., March 20 .- The

eadless body of a woman was tossed up

eat excitement was caused in Sodus

Village when the news of the discovery

The body is that of a woman apparent-

tirely destitute of clothing. The head had

ly weighing about 130 pounds. It was en-

been severed, and apparently with some

sharp instrument. From the appearance

of the body it is judged that it was thrown

into the lake about a day before it was

The coroner has taken charge of the

remains, and the authorities are conduct-ing an investigation. They have a theory

that the crime was committed at one of

LYNCHED NEAR PRISON.

Negro Murderer Taken by Mob From Con-

cordia Parish (La.) Jail.

NEW ORLEANS, March 20.-John

Woodward, the negro laborer who mur-

iered Leonard Calvitt, a white planter

at Union Point, Concordia Parish, last

month, was taken from the parish jail

at Vidalia yesterday by a small mob and lynched on a tree a few hundred feet

Woodward had stolen cotton from the Calvitt plantation and when Leonard Cal-vitt went to his house to recover it he

Late with the Castelberg National Jewelt Company, has started in business for him

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from the jail.

by the waves of Lake Ontario Tuesday.

shown in the following statement of ama-

serves the right to refuse any entry with-

American entries close June 1, and all

and compete.

out assigning a reason

eur qualification

branch of sport."

H nationalities to meet on a comm

### ADMIRAL KEMPFF RETURNS.

Arrives at San Francisco-Is Home for Orders.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 20 .- Rear Adniral Louis Kempff was a passenger year erday on the steamer City of Peking, from okohama. For the last two years he has een senior commander of the Pacific quadron, with the battleship Kentucky as his flagship, and has spent much time on the Chinese coast. He left the squadcon in command of Rear Admiral Frank Wilde, who is to be relieved soon by Rea dmiral Evans.

Admiral Kempif says affairs were quiet Admiral Kempff says affairs were quiet in Asiatic waters at the time he turned over the command to Wilde.

"I learn since my return," said the admiral, "that there has been some trouble on the West River in China, but that is news to me. Much of my time was spent at Cavite, but I was occasionally on the Chinese coast and at Yokohama. The vessels of the squadron, besides the flagship Kentucky, are the New Orleans, Monadnock, Montervy, Helena, Wilmington, Monocaey, and Vic. sburg.

"The health of the men has been fairly good and little has taken place during my time in Asiatic waters that is worth re-

time in Asiatic waters that is worth re-porting. I am home for orders."

BY OGDEN COMPANY

## Imperial Tobacco Company's

SENSATIONAL MOVE

Prospectus Answered. Ogdens Offer Customers All Net Profits

and 200,000 Pounds Sterling Additional as a Bonus. LIVERPOOL, March 20.-The Ogden ational character, and consequently the

igarette Company, recently purchased by

he American Tobacco Company, has anwered the prospectus of the Imperial Toacco Company in a sensational manner In a circular issued today, the Ogdens offer their customers bonuses of the entire net profit of the concern, and £200,000 per annum for the next four years. The Imperial Tobacco Company is made

p of many of the leading tobacco manufacturers of England. They are fighting the American Company, to retain control of the trade in England. The circular of the Ogdens today is but another move in the fight.

The prospectus of the Imperial Company was issued on February 17. According to it the company is arranging a scheme of bonuses for customers dependent on the amount of their purchases.

### THE OLYMPIA INSPECTED.

Dewey's Former Flagship Makes Sixteen Knots Under Natural Draught.

FOF MONROE, Va., March 20.—The guns of the cruiser Olympia boomed in ractice drill at the Capes yesterday, and e board were the members of the Board | wages a mechanic, artisan, or laborer, or of Inspection and Survey, now in session at Old Point. A thirty-mile breeze from the northwest kicked up a lively sea, but the Olympia bowled along at nearly sixthe crympia bowled along at hearly six-teen knots an hour, with natural draught. The cruiser's inspection was most sat-isfactory to the Naval Board, and after two hours' run to sea Admiral Dewey's former flagship returned to Hampton Roads, where she now lies at anchor, pend ing another trial today. The Cincinnat will be inspected on Friday. A trial tri-will take place off the Virginia coast.

### MARQUIS OF DUFFERIN'S WILL.

Instrument, Executed Since London and Globe Collapse, Probated.

LONDON, March 20.-The will of the The dead woman came to Washington Marquis of Dufferin and Ava, who died on February 12, has been probated.

The estate amounts to £108,000. A codicil says the will was executed after the collapse of the London and Globe Finance Corporation, of which the Marquis was chairman. Hence he restricted the legacies to his sons 10 £5,000 that the crime was committed at one of the resorts farther down the lake, and that the victim is a girl who disappeared mysteriously about a week ago, and whose name was coupled with that of a well-known young man of Wayne County. apleee, which, with their great-uncle's legacy, will give them £15,990 each. As this would not provide a sufficient income, the testator 3id not think the elde added £4,000 each to the younger

On the death of the mother the family will receive £1,600 each, which will make the girls' fortunes £16,000.

### PRINCE HENRY AT KIEL.

Arrives on Warship With His Brother, the Kaiser. KIEL, March 20.-The battleship Kaiser

Wilhelm II, with Emperor William and Prince Henry on board, has arrived here from Cuxhaven, where Prince Henry landed Tuesday upon his arrival m the United States. om the United States.

She was moored opposite the naval cademy. The crews of the warships in the harbor manned their sides and tops.

and cheered the Emperor and Prince TRYING TO SPREAD STRIKE.

### La Savoie's Strikers Endeavoring to Incite Others.

HAVRE, March 20.-The striking stok rs and firemen of the French Line steamhip La Savoie are endeavoring to incite the firemen and stokers of other steamthips of that company to join them. The French Line steamship La Savoie, which is scheduled to sail on Saturday, will experiment with the Marconi wire-less system of telegraphy on her next royage. The company will also reopen the olgeon post.

The rate for messages will be reduced rom 5 francs to 2.

### 100 Doses For One Dollar

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Bargains Than Ever. 7-4 Bleached Pearl Sheeting at 12%c. yard. 14c. yard.

at Cork-Strict Definition of the Ama-15c. yard. teur Contestant Laid Down on English These quotations cught to make a clean sweep of this lot in one day. 500 yds. of fine Black Skirting Satine Remnants, 25c and 35c qualities at 12%c. yard. Ambassador Choate has forwarded from

ondon to the State Department copies of 250 yds. of Heliotrope, Navy Blue, and Gray Figured Freuch Satine Remnants, suitable for wrappers or suits. 25c qualcircular sent to the Embassy by the Ireland, relative to a proposed rowing

12%c. yard.

900 yds. of Unbleached Drilling Rem-nants, 10c quality, at in July, 1902. The lord chief justice has promised to give a cup, which is to be von "out and out"-not a challenge cup. 5c. yard. The race will be open to amateurs of all The race will be open to amateurs of all actions, and it is desired that publicity yd. wide, 25c quality, at

10c. yard. Reductions in Percale.

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7½c. yard.

ested in the sport, has promised to provide a cup for competition which will be adequate to so important an event. The 600 yds. of Dress Plaid Remnants, 121/20 value of the cup will be not less than 7½c. yard. £250 (\$1,216), and presentation prizes will For our 2-cent per yd. corner, you will find a line of merchandise ranging in value from 8c to 121/2c yd., respectively.

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Young Mulatto Prisoner.

has terrorized the northeastern portion

ling out his threat.

Sayles is only sixteen years old, but

### TWO OF MENOMINEE FISHERMEN RETURN

bers Island Over Ice.

MENOMINEE, Mich., March 20 .- Two Menominee fishermen who were marooned

Yet Arranged. The remains of Mrs. Kate Murphy, hirty-seven years of age, an inmate of St. Elizabeth's Insane Asylum, who took her life in that institution last night by making a noose out of her bed sheet, were removed from the asylum this morning to the home of her mother, Mrs. Bridget

attempts to kill herself while laboring under one of these spells. For that rea-son she was closely watched by the offiabout a year ago from Los Angeles, Cal., and after the death of her husband lived with her mother, Mrs. Hughes, in the

on Them. NEW YORK, March 20 .- The stockholders of the Metropolitan Street Railway Company will meet today to pass on the new financial plan proposed by the direcsystem to the Interurban Street Railway Company, the formation of the Metropolitan Securities . Company and the issuing of \$65,000,000 of 4 per cent 100 year refunding bonds, of which \$54,000,000 are to be reserved to retire and refund the several issues of existing bonds as they ma

Well-Known Minstrel Remembered in the

distributed among twenty-one nephews and grandnieges; Dockstader receives a hequest of \$3,000. He is also made one of the residuary legatees, so that the amount which he will That medicine is receive will be a large portion of the

JAMESTOWN, N. Y., March 20.-Bur glars entered the postoffice at Sugar Grove, Pa., last night; blew open the safe and secured \$75 in cmsh and \$200 worth of postage stamps. They made their escape from the neighborhood by stealing

a horse, harness, and buggy.